

## School House Spring

### Condensed from the Oral History of George Tripp

I have to tell you an interesting instance that happened to our water system. Dale Walker was the water superintendent. We used to collect our water up at School House Spring up above Alpine. Our collection system wasn't really the best so the old timers put in some wooden boxes and they had wooden covers over them to protect them because of the deer and all kinds of animals.

Dale went up there one day to check his boxes and make sure his collection was all right. One of the tops had come out of one of the boxes. There he found a deer that got in there, on his back and it had all disintegrated and flowed down through the system into Lehi. There was only a few bones and little bit of hide or hair left.

We dug it down so that everything was submerged and our collection system was well underground. It's a good clean collection system now. So that was accomplished there. I guess people would just as soon not to know about that, but that is what happened.